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PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 08350.0537-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Daniel D. BERNS et al.) Group Art Unit: 1724
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Application No.: 10/072,868) Examiner: Lawrence Jr., Frank M.
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Filed: February 12, 2002)
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For: CONTAMINATION CONTROL) Confirmation No.: 2428
 FOR ENGINES)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of April 22, 2004. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	64	-	51	13	x \$ 18	\$ 234.00
Indep.	11	-	9	2	x \$ 86	172.00
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim(s)					+\$290	-0-
					Subtotal	\$ 406.00
					Reduction by ½ if small entity	- -0-
					TOTAL	\$ 406.00

A check in the amount of \$406.00 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by the reply is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Dated: July 22, 2004

By: _____

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 1724



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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the final Office Action mailed April 22, 2004, having a period for response extending through July 22, 2004, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants request consideration and entry of the following, culminating in allowance of the application:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper beginning on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment section of this paper beginning on page 14.

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